

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
EASTERN DISTRICT OF MICHIGAN
SOUTHERN DIVISION

MICHIGAN STATE A. PHILIP RANDOLPH
INSTITUTE, MARY LANSDOWN, ERIN
COMARTIN, DION WILLIAMS and
COMMON CAUSE,

Case No. 16-cv-11844

Plaintiffs,

v.

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT JUDGE
GERSHWIN A. DRAIN

RUTH JOHNSON, in her official capacity
as Michigan Secretary of State,

UNITED STATES MAGISTRATE JUDGE
MONA K. MAJZOUB

Defendant.

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FIFTH AMENDED SCHEDULING ORDER [122]

The Court held a telephone conference with the parties on Tuesday, January 30, 2018 to discuss trial proceedings. *See* Dkt. No. 126. Based on this conference, the Court will amend the Scheduling Order [122] as follows:

Final Joint Pretrial Order Due:	February 9, 2018
Hearing on Evidentiary Objections:	February 15, 2018 at 9:00 a.m.
Final Pretrial Conference:	February 22, 2018 at 2:00 p.m.
Opening Statements:	March 13, 2018 at 9:00 a.m.
Plaintiffs' Trial Submission Due:	March 15, 2018

Defendant's Response to Plaintiffs'
Trial Submission Due: March 29, 2018

Plaintiffs' Reply in Support
Trial Submission Due: April 13, 2018

Closing Arguments: April 18, 2018 at 9:00 a.m.

Additionally, each party's first trial submission now may not exceed thirty-five (35) pages, and the Plaintiffs' Reply Trial Submission may not exceed ten (10) pages.¹

IT IS SO ORDERED.

Dated: January 31, 2018

/s/Gershwin A. Drain
GERSHWIN A. DRAIN
United States District Judge

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

Copies of this Order were served upon attorneys of record on
January 31, 2018, by electronic and/or ordinary mail.

/s/ Teresa McGovern
Deputy Clerk

¹ As before, trial submissions need only include arguments on the law. Any evidence, including deposition transcripts and expert reports, may be added to the trial submissions as attachments.